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Date: Mon, 5 Jan 2004 06:19:42 CST
From: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: BOATANCHORS digest 3587

BOATANCHORS Digest 3587

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by "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
22) this may be a dumb question
by "w5sum" <w5sum@glowbugs.com>

Date: Thu, 01 Jan 2004 08:58:33 -0800
Subject: Re - SX28 problems
From: "John Gibson" <gibsonj@mindspring.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Mime-version: 1.0
Content-type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-transfer-encoding: 7bit
Message-Id: <E1Ac6AO-0000kQ-00@tisch.mail.mindspring.net>

Your best bet is Roy's suggestion to increase the common bias resistor about 50%. I always do that with small audio power tubes. I also switch from a GT envelope to a G or use the metal version, if there is room to fit them, as these have better heat dissipating qualities. John.

Message-Id: <5.2.0.9.0.20040101092819.009ffc80@ntpop.usnews.com>
Date: Thu, 01 Jan 2004 20:31:06 -0500
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: Avery Comarow <acomarow@usnews.com>
Subject: FS: Drake TR-4CW/rit transceiver + AC-4 + MS-4
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

I got this combo several years ago, never put it on the air. It needs a home with someone who will. It's too nice to sit.

The TR-4CW/rit was one of the last off the line, serial no. 45311, and has the hard-to-find 34-PNB noise blanker installed, which I've seen go separately for $200. It is extremely clean, a conservative 9+. Flawless front panel except for one 1/8" scratch below the RIT button. Cabinet top is perfect. Both sides are perfect except for one very small scratch on the left side. Chassis is clean, no corrosion, no smoke deposits. No evidence of modification. Two extra crystals are installed for full 10M coverage.

The AC-4 power supply is installed inside the MS-4 speaker cabinet. The MS-4 has a few superficial scratches on top. The front grille is perfect.

Interconnect cables and repro manual from Pete the Manual Man are included.

$650 is a fair price. I've seen the transceiver alone go for that. Add the blanker, power supply, and speaker, and this package looks pretty reasonable.

I will try to supply photos but that may take a few days, as I have to learn how to use a new digital camera and install and learn the software.

Shipping is extra. No charge for packing if I have all necessary materials; if not I will add enough to cover my cost. It will take two boxes. Much prefer pickup, or will meet buyer within 50 miles of D.C.

Email or phone 301-983-2407 (home), 202-955-2609 (office). Try my office number first.

73, Avery W3AVE
Potomac, Md.

Message-Id: <5.1.0.14.0.20040102105800.038757a8@vuse.vanderbilt.edu>
Date: Fri, 02 Jan 2004 11:02:49 -0600
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: "A. B. Bonds" <ab@vuse.vanderbilt.edu>
Subject: They're still out there....
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Santa (in the guise of Gary Schneider at Playthings of the Past, Cleveland OH) brought me a BC-348N. It's exceedingly clean, just a little paint off a couple of the knobs, and the inside is pristine (as in unmolested), including...the dynamotor. Wow. He said it came from an estate sale. He also has a transmitter for a Spitfire and a very old RCA military set (black wrinkle, round speaker and dial, magic eye). Sorry, I didn't get the numbers.

Now that I have bragged on this, I'd like to find one of those weird sideways 8-pin Jones kinda sockets for the power connecter. I'd hate to kludge this one, it's too nice. Are we talking unobtanium?

73

A. B. Bonds

Message-Id: <3.0.3.32.20040102204040.00696fb0@mail.meer.net>
Date: Fri, 02 Jan 2004 20:40:40 -0500
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: "Gary N. Anderson" <ivfland@mail.meer.net>

Subject: more SX-42 questions (results)
Cc: W7QHO@aol.com
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

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Message-ID: <000a01c3d1cc$ee1a7230$890f8490@virtual>
From: "Brian Goldsmith" <brian.goldsmith@echo1.com.au>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Crash
Date: Sat, 3 Jan 2004 18:40:59 +1100
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Testing,computer crash,shoot!!!!!!!

Message-ID: <002101c3d1d8$15090680$a4e47443@KB6NAX>
From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Cc: <W7QHO@aol.com>
Subject: Re: more SX-42 questions (results)
Date: Sat, 3 Jan 2004 01:00:43 -0800
MIME-Version: 1.0
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Message-Id: <3.0.3.32.20040103114519.00ff1e74@mail.meer.net>
Date: Sat, 03 Jan 2004 11:45:19 -0500
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: "Gary N. Anderson" <ivfland@mail.meer.net>
Subject: more SX-42 questions (results)
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"

By popular demand: what caused the 60 Megohm leakage and how did I fix it?

Cause is unknown. Unlike some of the stories I have read about here, there was no noticable evidence of charring on this switch, even in the area of the problem. There was, however, some evidence of earlier component replacement in that area, so there may have been a short with excessive heating of a contact and the insulation around it. Some contact cleaner residue was seen, but I do not know if that contributed.

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Message-ID: <20040103164943.7591.qmail@web10004.mail.yahoo.com>
Date: Sat, 3 Jan 2004 08:49:43 -0800 (PST)
From: Meyer Gottesman <wrecktech@yahoo.com>
Subject: Wanted: Rare version of ARC-5 transmitter.
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Wanted:

Rare version of ARC-5 "command" transmitter. I am seeking the model that covers from 1.3 to 2.1 MHz.

Prefer unmodified condition but the following mods are perfectly acceptable:

a-Heaters rewired for 12.6 volts.

b-"UHF" RF output connector instead of original one.

c-Power plug in rear changed to octal socket.

I will pay $100.00 plus shipping without batting an
eye! Hi!

Tel: (478)741-1710.

73,

Meyer Gottesman, W6GIV
Macon, GA

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Do you Yahoo!?
Find out what made the Top Yahoo! Searches of 2003
http://search.yahoo.com/top2003

Message-ID: <20040103165715.54473.qmail@web10003.mail.yahoo.com>
Date: Sat, 3 Jan 2004 08:57:15 -0800 (PST)
From: Meyer Gottesman <wrecktech@yahoo.com>
Subject: For sale: 40 meter tuning unit for WW II GP-7 xmtr.
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

For sale:

One rare "bird". 40 meter tuning unit for WW II GP-7
military transmitter.

Perfect condition. This is a very rare item.

Sacrifice: $100.00 plus shipping FOB Warner Robins,
GA.

Personal checks welcome and do not cause a delay.

Tel: (478)741-1710 in Macon, GA.

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Message-ID: <20040103165428.86715.qmail@web10001.mail.yahoo.com>
Date: Sat, 3 Jan 2004 08:54:28 -0800 (PST)
From: Meyer Gottesman <wrecktech@yahoo.com>
Subject: Wanted: RBB or RBC WW II receiver.
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii

Wanted:

RBB and/or RBC WW II military receiver. Prefer with matching 115 vac supply. Must be in good to perfect condition. Poor paint no issue but no dents or smashes!!

I will pay big bux!

This is one heavy "mutha"!!! Hi! You must be willing to ship to Macon, GA.

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To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>, <W7QHO@aol.com>
Subject: Re: more SX-42 questions (results)
Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.4.44.0401031215010.9797-100000@king.cts.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: TEXT/PLAIN; charset=US-ASCII

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From: John Kolb <jlkolb@cts.com>
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cc: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
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Message-ID: <Pine.BSF.4.44.0401031253180.9797-100000@king.cts.com>
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In some cases, repair can be made by adding a series cap, and a separate
bias resistor.

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> series with it as an ohmmeter.

Place a 4.7 or 5 Megohm resistor in series with the meter for
protection to limit short circuit current to 50 uA - or simply
use a voltmeter instead on a 250 or 300 V range. Since the leakage
is known to be greater than the 20 Mohm or so upper limit

ov conventional measurements (VTVM top ohms range), the extra
5 M won't affect proving if leakage exists or not, and can be
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Message-ID: <3FF7560F.7040304@bobkemp.com>
Date: Sat, 03 Jan 2004 17:53:51 -0600
From: Bob Kemp <bkemp@bobkemp.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: NCX-5
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Anyone know how to adjust the digits on the NCX-5 transceiver.
The very left hand digit is half of a rotation off i.e. it reads
between 3 & 4 when it's supposed to be on "4".
Bob

Message-ID: <001801c3d25e$1cf45800$e6e47443@KB6NAX>
From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: more SX-42 questions (results)
Date: Sat, 3 Jan 2004 17:00:07 -0800
MIME-Version: 1.0
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Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Good detective work, Gary.

> Cause is unknown.

I'll hazard a guess. Solder flux. More likely the highly active type referred to as "RA." Enough ionic contamination was left behind to provide a path for an electrochemical leakage track to form. You are lucky it never got to the point of burning a carbon track into the switch wafer. This is a good reminder why flux residue between two closely spaced voltage stress points should be removed, particularly in high impedance circuits!

Here is what our esteeemed Dr. Barry Ornitz has to say about soldering fluxes:

<http://yarchive.net/metal/soldering_flux.html>

If you need help and have the big bucks go here (hi!):

<http://www.residues.com/services_f_analysis.html>

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From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Re: more SX-42 questions (results)
Date: Sat, 3 Jan 2004 17:04:44 -0800
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I have one of those too, John. Same problem, same solution. Bought a 410B from a surplus electronics store back in '71 and went nuts having to constantly rezero it. Took a while but I finally found the problem. New run of wire fixed it. Still have the olde thing!

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From: JONWEINER@aol.com
Message-ID: <24.4caebb70.2d29a0eb@aol.com>
Date: Sun, 4 Jan 2004 12:01:31 EST
Subject: Johnson Viking II Fro Sale
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: multipart/alternative;
boundary="-----------------------------1073235691"


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Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

I have for sale a very nice E.F. Johnson Viking II 160-10 meter AM & CW
transmitter. Front panel is excellent. Has NO modifications, extra holes, switches
or knobs. Cabinet is also very good with no modifications. Could use a bit of
cleaning. Complete with a copy of the original manual. Price: $250. for pick
up at Greer, SC. I prefer not to ship this radio.

Jon, K1VVC

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*         ---REMAINDER OF MESSAGE TRUNCATED---            *
*     This post contains a forbidden message format       *
*  (such as an attached file, a v-card, HTML formatting)  *
*    Mail Lists at theporch.com only accept PLAIN TEXT    *
* If your postings display this message your mail program *
* is not set to send PLAIN TEXT ONLY and needs adjusting  *
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Message-ID: <00ed01c3d30c$e175fc20$47b7fea9@wa3bzt>
From: "Edward J White" <wa3bzt@verizon.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: FS AN/URM-7
Date: Sun, 4 Jan 2004 16:51:16 -0500
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     charset="iso-8859-1"
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Hi Gang:
I have had this for some time and have not used it but it does powers up.
I have a Radio Interference Measuring Set AN/URM-7 with one R-854/URM-7 case and lid
plugging TN-326/URM-7 70-220 MHz
Plugging TN-327/URM-7 220-400 MHz
Has condensed operating instructions and charts.
This unit is in new condition maybe a couple of scratches on the case but like I said new. (NO Field shipping case)
Have TM-11-5544-15 TM May 1958
No cables or antennas
Looking for $175.00 PLUS SHIPPING & PACKING or pick up in Bear, DE 19701

Message-ID: <00f301c3d30d$b38c7c70$47b7fea9@wa3bzt>
From: "Edward J White" <wa3bzt@verizon.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: FS SAMS Books 1-200 CD Radio Series
Date: Sun, 4 Jan 2004 16:57:08 -0500
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Hi Gang:
I have from Book 1 to 200 (I believe they are all there Two Boxes full) of SAMS Photofact CB Radio Series.
Looking for $50.00 plus pick up Will ship but will cost more than the price of the books.
Pick up Bear, DE 19701 (south of Wilmington 20 miles)

Ed
WA3BZT

Message-Id: <5.2.0.9.0.20040104185535.009f8980@ntpop.usnews.com>
Date: Sun, 04 Jan 2004 18:57:08 -0500
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
From: Avery Comarow <acomarow@usnews.com>
Subject: Query about a FS posting
Mime-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset="us-ascii"; format=flowed

Is it acceptable to post a FS for a 1949-'51 vintage Zenith Transoceanic?
If not, I certainly won't.

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Avery W3AVE
Potomac, Md.

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From: WA5CAB@cs.com
Message-ID: <d9.ac7315.2d2a0dd4@cs.com>
Date: Sun, 4 Jan 2004 19:46:12 EST
Subject: Re: Query about a FS posting
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: multipart/alternative; boundary="part1_d9.ac7315.2d2a0dd4_boundary"


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Content-Type: text/plain; charset="US-ASCII"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Avery,

I don't see why not.  It may not be heavy enough to anchor a light cruiser,
but it would do for the Captain's gig.  There was a long thread here last year
about ways to avoid paying current market for one of the tubes.

In a message dated 1/4/2004 5:57:20 PM Central Standard Time,
acomarow@usnews.com writes:
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>

73
Robert Downs - Houston
<http://www.wa5cab.com> (Web Store)
<wa5cab@cs.com> (Primary email)
<wa5cab@houston.rr.com> (Backup email)

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*         ---REMAINDER OF MESSAGE TRUNCATED---             *
*     This post contains a forbidden message format        *
*  (such as an attached file, a v-card, HTML formatting)   *
*    Mail Lists at theporch.com only accept PLAIN TEXT     *
* If your postings display this message your mail program  *
* is not set to send PLAIN TEXT ONLY and needs adjusting   *
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Message-ID: <000701c3d36b$aa1cee50$2ce57443@KB6NAX>
From: "Arden Allen" <gumbear@pacbell.net>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: Need schematic
Date: Mon, 5 Jan 2004 01:09:40 -0800
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain;
     charset="iso-8859-1"
Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit

Sweepers, sweepers, man your generators!

An Eico 368 sweep generator managed to adopt me so now it needs papers. A schematic is all I need. Costs gladly reimbersed. Thanks in advance.

Arden Allen
KB6NAX

From: "w5sum" <w5sum@glowbugs.com>
To: Old Tube Radios <boatanchors@theporch.com>
Subject: this may be a dumb question
Date: Mon, 5 Jan 2004 07:19:31 -0500
Message-Id: <20040105121931.M3843@glowbugs.com>
MIME-Version: 1.0
Content-Type: text/plain; charset=iso-8859-1

I just downloaded a file from BAMA using ftp.. it has a djvu or some such file extension.. what the heck is that and how do I open it?

thanks

Ronnie

The "AM" voice of Shreveport, Louisiana USA
formerly WN5AIA and WB5AIA
I got my Extra Class the old fashioned way... I earned it!

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